

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1(cancelled).

2(currently amended). A tape, sheet or film composition comprising a combination comprising at least one fluoropolymer, at least one polymer selected from the group of ethylene acrylic copolymers, ethylene functional polymers, EPDM, grafted EPDM, EPDM functional polymers, styrene block copolymers and nitrile functional rubbers; at least one bitumin, at least one passivating agent wherein the amount of said passivating agent is sufficient to improve the corrosion resistance of a metal surface in contact with the composition and the composition is applied onto at least one fibrous fibrous reinforcement that increases the tensile strength of the composition.

3(currently amended). ~~A high temperature resistant tape, sheet, film or wrap composition for a metallic pipe comprising a combination comprising at least one fluoropolymer, at least one polymer, gilsonite, at least one silicate and at least one fibrous reinforcement. The composition of Claim 2 wherein the bitumen comprises gilsonite.~~

4(original). The composition of Claim 2 wherein the polymer comprises EPDM.

5(cancelled).

6(currently amended). The composition of Claim 2 ~~wherein said polymer comprises at least one EPDM functional polymer, said bitumin comprises gilsonite and said~~ wherein said passivating agent comprises at least one silicate.

7(cancelled).

8(original). The composition of Claim 6 wherein said at least one silicate comprises calcium silicate.

9(cancelled).

10(currently amended). The composition of Claim ~~[[3]]~~ 2 wherein said ~~polymer composition further~~ comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of epoxy functional, hydroxyl functional and acrylic functional polymers.

11(currently amended). The composition of Claim ~~[[3]]~~ 2 further comprising ethylene vinyl acetate.

12(cancelled).

13(currently amended). The composition of Claim 2 wherein said at least one ~~fibrous~~ fibrous reinforcement comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of a scrim, web, matte, mesh, perforated films and woven assemblages.

14(currently amended). The composition of Claim ~~[[3]]~~ 13 wherein said at least one ~~fibrous~~ fibrous reinforcement comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of a scrim, web, matte, and mesh, ~~perforated films and woven assemblages.~~

15(original). The composition of Claim 2 further comprising a film upon at least a portion of one surface of said composition.

16(original). The composition of Claim 2 further comprising at least one expansion agent.

17(currently amended). The composition of Claim 2 further comprising at ~~least one thermosetting compound and~~ at least one curing agent for said polymer compound.

18(currently amended). The composition of Claim 2 ~~wherein said polymer comprises at least one radiation curable polymer and~~ further comprising at least one photo-initiator.

19(cancelled).

20(cancelled).

21(cancelled).

22(cancelled).

23(cancelled).

24(currently amended). The composition of Claim ~~3 wherein said at least one silicate comprises calcium silicate, sodium silicate and combinations thereof.~~ 6 wherein said silicate comprises sodium silicate.

25(currently amended). The composition of Claim ~~[[23]]~~ 17 wherein said at least one ~~heat activated~~ curing agent comprises dicyandiamide.

26(cancelled).

27(cancelled).

28(cancelled).

29(cancelled).

30(currently amended). ~~The tape, sheet or wrap composition of Claim 3 wherein said at least one polymer comprises at least one member selected from the group~~ The composition of Claim 2 further comprising at least one member selected from the group consisting of silicone and silicone functional polymers, ethylene functional polymers and combinations thereof and wherein said fibrous reinforcement defines a plurality of openings.

31(cancelled).

32(currently amended). The composition of Claim 2 ~~wherein the fibrous 13 wherein the fibrous~~ reinforcement comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of fiberglass, polyester and polypropylene ~~polypropylene~~.

33(cancelled).

34(cancelled).

35(cancelled).

36(currently amended). The composition of Claim 32 wherein the reinforcement comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of fiberglass and polypropylene ~~14 wherein the fibrous reinforcement comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of fiberglass, polyester, and polypropylene.~~

37(currently amended). The composition of Claim 32 wherein the fibrous ~~fibrous~~ reinforcement comprises polyester.

38(Previously presented). The composition of Claim 2 further comprising at least one additive selected from the group consisting of colorants, tackifiers, fillers, plasticizers, processing oils, surfactants, UV resistant materials, antimicrobial agents and flame retardants.

39(Previously presented). The composition of Claim 38 wherein the additive comprises at least one filler that comprises nylon cubes or particles.

40(new). The composition of Claim 2 wherein the fibrous reinforcement has a coating thereon.